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"One Gift Can Change A Life Forever"

"Castles of Carlsbad" 2008 Spring Home Tour!

This year we celebrate the Fifth Annual "Castles of Carlsbad" Home Tour on Saturday, May 3. Over the past five years, thousands of ticket holders have strolled along the grounds and through the interiors of Carlsbad's most unique and lovely homes. This year marks the First Annual "Luncheon on the Lawn," an instant hit and early sell-out. The popular raffle drawings feature six "Celebrate Carlsbad" luxury gift baskets that include stays at 4-star resorts, golf packages, elegant spa visits and more!

The net proceeds from the home tour will benefit the Foundation's campaign for the new Carlsbad City Library Learning Center, scheduled to open in August.

We hope you enjoy this special "Castles of Carlsbad" edition of the Times. We encourage your support for the sponsors who so generously supported the home tour. Please visit the website, www.castlesofcarlsbad.com for more on the home tour and web links and contact information for all our sponsors.

~ Gina McBride

Special Thanks to Our Incredibly Gracious Homeowners



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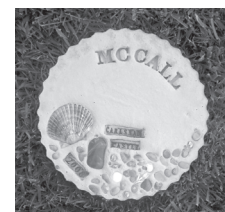
Jeannine and David Miller
"Carlsbad at the Beach"



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"Carlsbad Tuscan Retreat"

Jerry Bryan, master photographer, of Jerry Bryan Photographic Studio and Gallery in Carlsbad, has presented these exquisite lifestyle portraits to home tour homeowners for the past four years. A collection of the six portraits will be displayed in the lobby of the Carlsbad City Library on Dove Lane for one year. Jerry, an enthusiastic supporter, is a Foundation "Community Partner" and Platinum Sponsor for the home tour.

Anne Linehan, committee member, of "Setting It In Stone" is delighted to present a custom-designed stepping stone that she created to each home tour homeowner.



Thanks to the 2008 Team of Volunteers!

The 5th Annual "Castles of Carlsbad" 2008 Home Tour Committee is proud to recognize the countless hours collectively contributed by these outstanding Volunteers, who make the home tour a big success...**Priceless!**

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Only 8 Seat Plaques Left – Don't Miss Out!

For a tax-deductible contribution of \$250, we will place a permanent, personalized brass plaque on a chair in the Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium at the Carlsbad Library on Dove Lane. "The Schulman" enjoys full capacity audiences for concerts, plays, lectures and more — many at no charge.

Mission Statement:

To seek, cultivate and provide financial support for our library and art facilities and programs to promote lifelong learning and cultural enrichment in our community.

Message From the *President*



Trudy McGrath, President
of the Carlsbad Library
and Arts Foundation

On behalf of the board of trustees for the Carlsbad Library and Arts Foundation, I am delighted to thank you for your support and interest in all of our foundation's happenings!

The fifth annual "Castles of Carlsbad" home tour is bigger and better than ever; and now a fabulous luncheon has been added to enrich the event even further. The "Castle's" committee has been led by Sandy Golnick. I wish to thank Sandy, the committee and all the volunteers for making this event such a wonderful success.

A special "thank you" to our gracious homeowners who have opened their beautiful homes for a wonderful cause. The net profits this year will go directly to the new learning center that will be opening in summer of 2008.

Trudy McGrath, President

News From the Library Director



Heather Pizzuto
Director of the
Carlsbad City
Library

In the entire history of the Carlsbad City Library, the occasions when we have opened a brand new library facility can be counted on one hand. And so as we launch the Carlsbad City Library Learning Center, we do so with enormous excitement.

The Library is busily preparing for the opening, tentatively scheduled for late August. We hope you'll join us in celebrating this milestone which will create a permanent home for two of the Library's long-standing programs – the Adult Learning Program and the Centro de Informacion. During the summer, the existing programs will close for relocation of their existing collections, computers, supplies and files to the new facility. Before the Learning Center opens, these programs will be re-shaped into one lifelong learning environment. We hope you'll join us at the grand opening for tours, music, crafts and storytimes. Please check the Library Web site for event dates and times.

Heather Pizzuto, Library Director



Construction is near completion on the new learning center scheduled to open in August, 2008.

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The 2008 Carlsbad Library and Arts Foundation Board of Trustees once again brings together a dynamic group of professionals working diligently to provide significant financial support for our library and arts facilities, programs and services.

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Richard Glazier, noted Steinway Concert Artist, performed for guests at the Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium this winter as part of an Evening of Appreciation for supporters and friends of the arts. The reception and concert event, presented by a collaboration to celebrate the arts, was hosted by Carlsbad Library and Arts Foundation, Museum of Making Music and Carlsbad Friends of the Arts. Gina McBride, Carolyn Grant and Sandy Guendert co-chaired the event. Guests enjoyed the cuisine generously provided by Pick Up Stix, Fresh Asian Kitchen before the concert featuring Mr. Glazier's multi-media "salute to the American popular song"!